

WILDLAND FIREFIGHTING JOBS















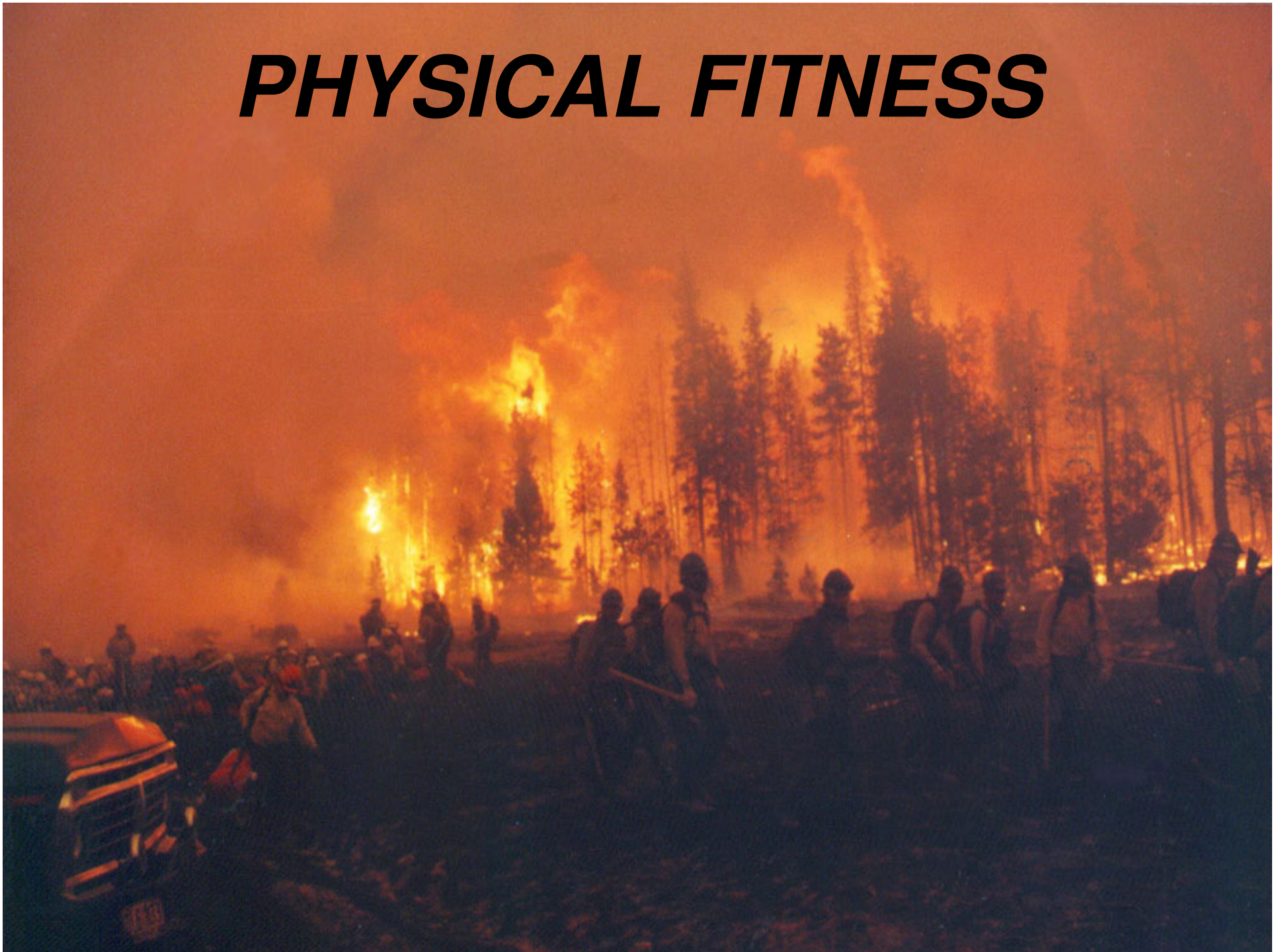




THINGS TO CONSIDER



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JOB TRAINING







DIFFERENT FIREFIGHTING OPPORTUNITIES



A photograph of three wildland firefighters working on a steep, rocky ridge. The firefighter in the foreground is wearing a yellow helmet and a green jacket, looking towards the left. The firefighter in the middle is wearing a red helmet and a yellow jacket, standing on the rocks. The firefighter in the background is wearing a blue helmet and a yellow jacket, spraying water from a hose. The ridge is covered in large, dark rocks and some green moss. The background shows a forest of tall evergreen trees under a clear sky.

**WHAT DO WILDLAND
FIREFIGHTERS DO??**

PREScribed FIRE





















CHAINSAW OPERATIONS



HABITAT IMPROVEMENT



HAZARD TREE REMOVAL



FUELS REDUCTION



SNAG MITIGATION



FIRELINE SAW WORK





STRUCTURE PROTECTION









A photograph showing a group of firefighters in yellow gear working in a field of tall grass. They are using tools to clear vegetation, likely for fireline construction. The background features a dense forest and mountains under a cloudy sky.

HANDLINE / FIRELINE CONSTRUCTION















WORK WITH AIRCRAFT





























WORK WITH DIFFERENT TYPES OF ENGINES













WORK WITH SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT











TRAVEL TO VARIOUS PLACES



VARIOUS PROJECT WORK







LONG SHIFTS DAY AND NIGHT







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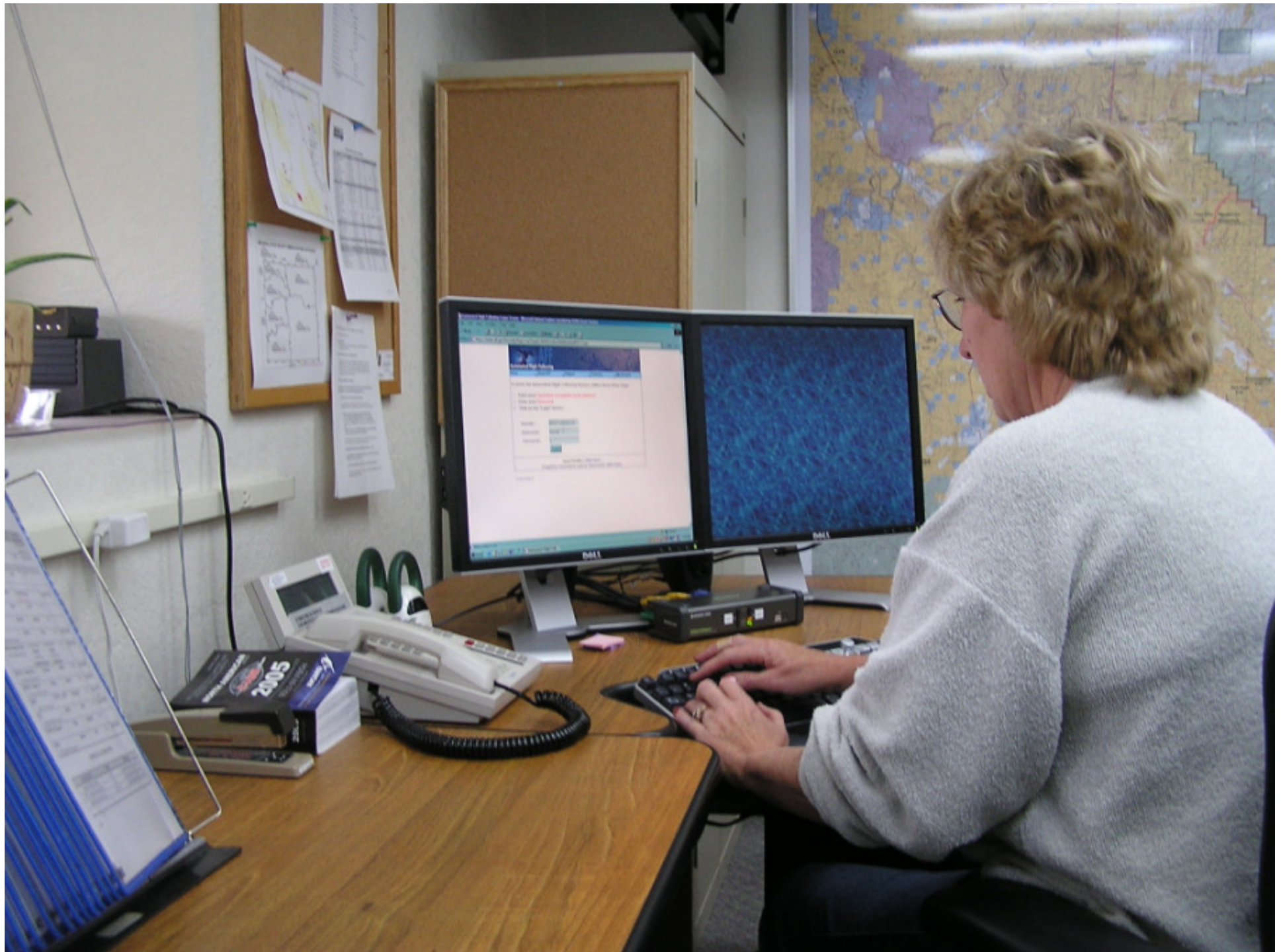




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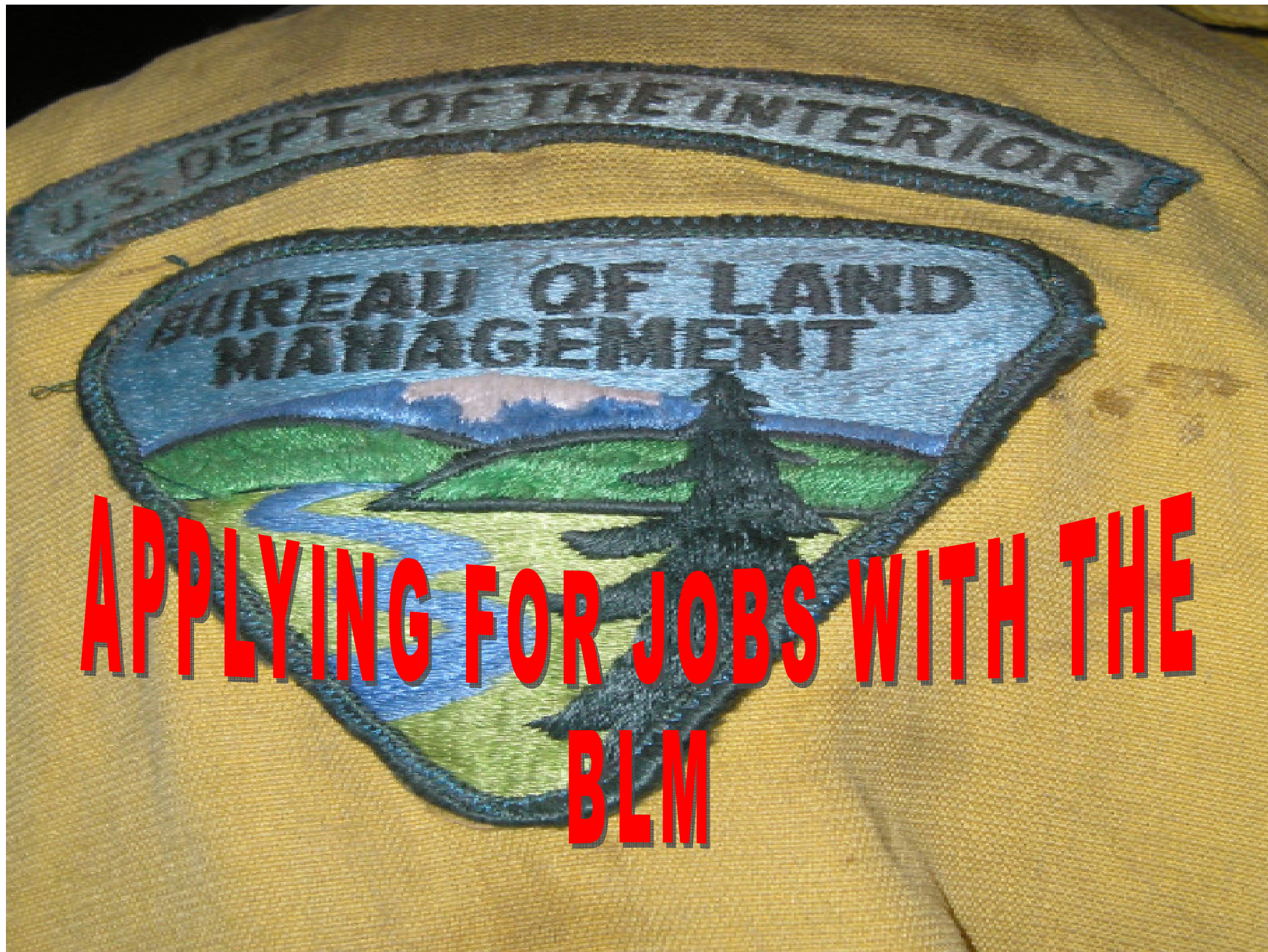


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MAKE NEW FRIENDS**









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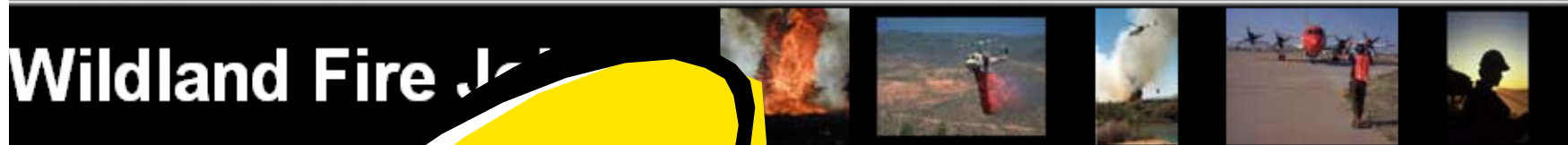
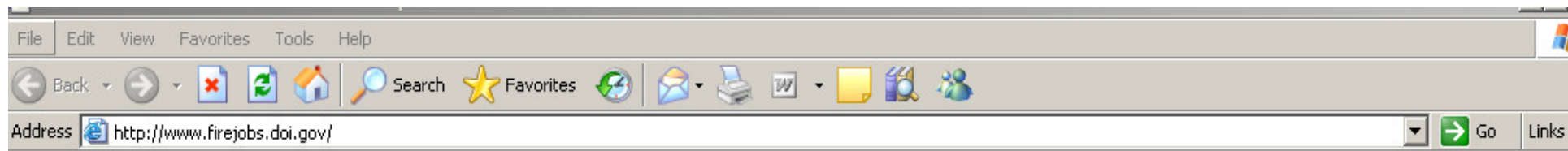
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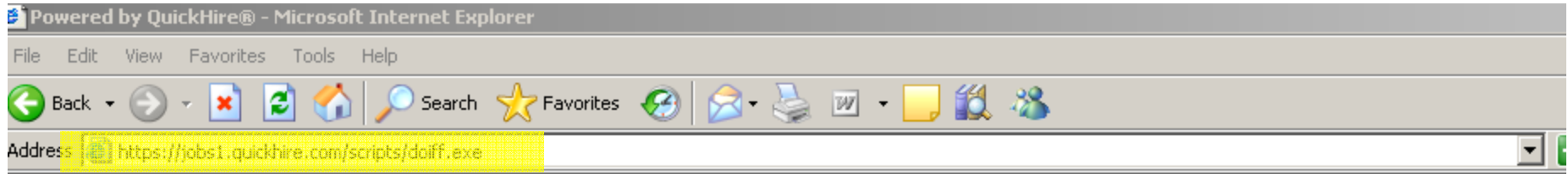
U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI) Fire Integrated Recruitment Employment Systems (FIRES) web-based recruitment system that allows you to apply for temporary fire positions within the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), Bureau of Land Management (BLM), US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), and National Park Service (NPS) online.

FIRES allows you to search for available temporary seasonal fire jobs within the DOI. You can create, edit, and archive your electronic resume; and apply for specific jobs online! FIRES also provides you with an opportunity to establish criteria to identify the type(s) of jobs you are interested in, and will then notify you with an email message when that kind of job is open and accepting applications.

To begin, you must first register and create your profile in DOI FIRES that will include your personal information as well as your resume. You will then be able to search for vacancies and apply for jobs!

COMMON MISTAKES:

- ◆ No resume posted.
You can post your resume by logging onto [FIRES](#) and selecting "Edit Personnel Information"
- ◆ Resume not containing required information to verify qualifications.
Go to: [Resume Instructions](#) for information on what is required in a federal resume.
- ◆ Selecting more than **7 locations**.
(only applicable to announcements listing more than 7 locations)
Do NOT select more than **7 locations**!



Welcome to the Dept. Of Interior, Firefighters Integrated Recruitment Employment System (FIRES)

New Users: _____

• Select this option, and click on the "Next" button.

Registered Users: _____

Enter your QuickHire ID or E-mail Address and password in the space provided, select a destination, and click on the "Next" button.

QuickHire ID or E-mail Address:

Password:

- ☐ Go to Jobs
- ☐ View My Application Status
- ☐ Edit personal information
- ☐ Change Password
- ☐ Edit Demographic information
- ☐ Generate Fax Cover Sheets

Just Browsing ? _____



User Information

Please note: Your SSN and birthdate are used only by the Human Resources staff to uniquely identify you. This information is only available to those directly involved in the hiring process.

* First Name
MI
* Last Name
* Date of Birth -Month- -Day- -Year-
* SSN (Format XXX-XX-XXXX)
* Address1
Address2
Address3
* City
State
* Zip Code
Plus 4
* Country US
* Phone
* Email
supply an e-mail address. Enter only ONE Internet E-Mail Address (example: john_doe@company.com). You must
* Password (Minimum 5 characters)
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Citizenship

☐ I am a US Citizen. ☐ I am NOT a US Citizen.

Military Service and Veteran Preference

For a detailed explanation of Military Service and Veteran Preference, please refer to the Office of Personnel Management website at the following link
<http://www.opm.gov/veterans/>

- ☐ Not a veteran.
- ☐ 30 percent or more compensably disabled veteran.
- ☐ 10-point compensable veteran. You must have an existing compensable service-connected disability of 10 percent or more.
- ☐ Other 10-point veteran. You must be one of the following:
 - A disabled veteran or a veteran who was awarded the Purple Heart for wound or injuries received in action.
 - A veteran's widow or widower who has not remarried.
 - The wife or husband of a veteran who has a service-connected disability which disqualified the veteran for civil service appointments.
 - The widowed, divorced or separated mother of an ex-service son or daughter who died in action, or who is totally and permanently disabled.
- ☐ 5-point veteran. You must have been discharged or released from active duty in the armed forces under honorable conditions and had one of the following:
 - Active duty in the Armed Forces of the United States, in a war, or during the period 4/28/52-7/1/55.
 - Active duty for more than 180 consecutive days other than for training, any part of which occurred during the period beginning 2/1/55 and 10/14/76.
 - Active duty during the Gulf War sometime between 8/2/1990 - 1/2/1992.
 - Active duty in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge has been authorized.
 - Active duty for more than 180 consecutive days, other than for training, any part of which occurred during the period beginning 9/11/2001 and ending on the date prescribed by the Presidential proclamation or by law as the last date of Operation Iraqi Freedom.
- ☐ Had active duty or reserve service which does not meet any of the above.

If you answered 2,3,4,5 or 6 above stating that you are a veteran, you must supply service dates below:

Start of Service: -Month- -Day- -Year-
End of Service: -Month- -Day- -Year-

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End of Service: -Month- -Day- -Year-

YOU MAY USE THE FOLLOWING SPACE TO INPUT YOUR RESUME FROM ANOTHER WORD PROCESSING PACKAGE. PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN YOUR RESUME.

FULL NAME
MAILING ADDRESS
DAY AND EVENING TELEPHONE NUMBERS (With area code)

EDUCATION - (Some jobs may require certain coursework which will be asked in the questions relating to that job.) High School - Name, City, State, Date of diploma or GED College/University - Name, city, State Majors Type and year of any degrees received Total credits earned and indicate whether semester or quarter hours (Note: You may be asked to submit a copy of your college transcript prior to interview and selection if the position you apply for requires proof of education.)

Vocational/Trade/business or technical School - Name, City, State, Date of certificate or graduation.

WORK EXPERIENCE - (Include paid and unpaid job-related work experience. List your most recent job or jobs first, and work back.) Job title and grade level if Federal employment
Duties and accomplishments
Employer's name and address
Supervisor's name and telephone number
Starting and ending dates (month and year)
Hours worked per week
Salary

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS (Include job-related training courses; Job-related skills such as typing speed, computer software/hardware tools, other languages, etc.; Job-related honors, awards, special accomplishments, publications, memberships in professional or honor societies, leadership activities, and performance awards).

Please note: You may copy and paste your resume from another text format into the box below. Each operating system has its own format. For example, if you are using Windows you should highlight the entire text of the resume, hold down the CTRL key and press C (to copy). In your browser click in the resume box below and hold down the CTRL key and press V (to paste the text).

You can come back later at any time to input and/or update your resume using the "Edit personal information" button. Your resume will be saved. You must update your resume by the time a specific vacancy closes to be considered for that position.

Resume: The maximum value for this text area is 16,000 characters including hidden characters. Click the "Check Resume Length" button below.

Note: Some text editing programs are not taking the hidden characters into account. If you are using such a program, you may need to manually delete the hidden characters.

No resume data provided

Check Resume Length

Notification Preferences

- ☐ I would NOT like to be notified by email about new job postings.
- ☐ I would like to be notified by email about ALL new job postings.
- ☐ I would like to be notified by email about new job postings that meet my specified email notification criteria. (Email notification criteria will be selected on the next page.)

If you indicated you want to be notified about job openings, you will be notified from now on about any new jobs that open up or existing jobs that are currently open.

Check Resume Length

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If you indicated you want to be notified about job openings, you will be notified from now on about any new jobs that open up or existing jobs that are updated, however you will need to scan the web site now to see what jobs are currently available. Being notified is dependent on having entered a valid e-mail address. Please be sure your e-mail address is correct.

Important instructions!

When you have filled out the above information and are ready to continue:

"Single click" on the NEXT button and wait the several seconds until the next screen of questions appears on your browser.

If you "don't click" the NEXT button again while the hourglass is being displayed before the next screen comes up, you may get a message indicating you are not allowed to login. If this happens, you can login with the E-Mail ID and password that you have just entered, or select the "Forgot my password" option. Login and select the "Edit personal information" option to complete your applicant profile.

When the "Eligibility questions" screen does display, it must be completed and saved before you are allowed to apply for any jobs within Dept. Of Interior, Fire & Emergency Integrated Recruitment Employment System (FIRES). (Demographic Data is optional)

Next->

Reset Form

(You must enter a valid password and click the "Next" button to save your changes.)

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COMMON MISTAKES

- ***NO RESUME POSTED***
- ***RESUME NOT CONTAINING REQUIRED INFORMATION TO VERIFY QUALIFICATIONS***
- ***SELECTING MORE THAN 7 LOCATIONS***

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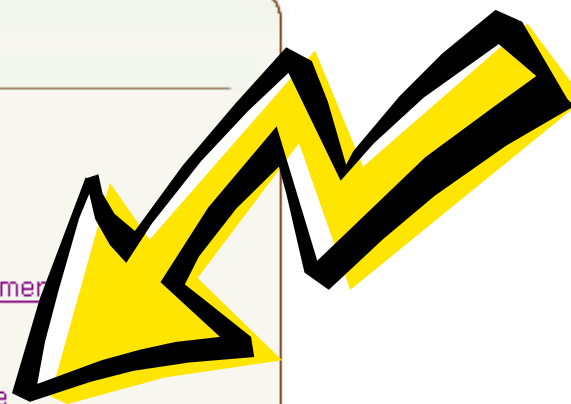
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Firefighters, scientists, resource managers, communications and computer technicians, business managers...Fire & Aviation offers job opportunities as diverse as the Forest Service itself!

As the name implies, Forest Service Fire and Aviation Management is a wide field, encompassing firefighters, fire ecologists, fuels specialists, fire managers, administrative personnel, helicopter and fixed wing pilots, aviation and ground safety professionals, radio communications and electronic technicians, dispatchers, fire prevention specialists, and communicators. Generally, the Forest Service workforce reaches its highest numbers during the peak fire season each summer. There are many kinds of schedules available to work. Some sign on for a limited number of hours during the summer - they are called seasonals. Others have permanent seasonal positions, and work 26 weeks with 26 weeks off. Others work full time, year around, but have limited appointments or a "not to exceed" time limit of one to four years. And there is a large permanent, full time workforce as well — that have chosen Forest Service Fire and Aviation Management for their career.

Individuals who want to be seasonal firefighters need to think about wildland fire in January. That's when most applications are due. Anyone interested in a job (permanent or temporary) with the Forest Service, or other federal agencies, can check the [Office of Personnel Management listing, USDA Forest Service Temporary Employment](#) (List of announcements and other helpful information) or [FS Jobs](#) web sites to see



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User Id and **Password** must be a minimum of four characters and are case sensitive. Required fields are marked with an asterisk (*).

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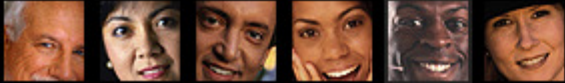
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 Civil Engineering Technician	GS-0802-05 (ADS04-WOFSJOBS-034DT)	Multiple Locations	\$11.40-\$12.55	None	Eligible	<input type="checkbox"/>
 Engineering Aid	GS-0802-03 (ADS04-WOFSJOBS-032DT)	Multiple Locations	\$9.08-\$9.99	None	Eligible	<input type="checkbox"/>
 Forestry Aid	GS-0462-03 (ADS04-WOFSJOBS-013DT)	Multiple Locations	\$9.08-\$9.99	None	Eligible	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Student Career Experience Program

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- This program offers valuable work experience directly related to academic field of study. It provides formal periods of work and study while the student attends school.
- Student may be converted to a term, career-conditional or career appointment within 120 days after graduation. Students must fulfill the 640 hour work requirement.
- EO 13024 authorizes noncompetitive conversion of SCEP to term appointment in the competitive service. Before the term appointment expires the agency may noncompetitively convert the term appointment to career or career conditional appointment.
- BLM Colorado recruits SCEP participants primarily from its temporary workforce.

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Student Career Experience Program

- **REQUIREMENTS**

- **Students must be 18-37 years of age for Fire SCEP positions**
- **Student must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment as a degree seeking student**
- **Student must be a U.S. citizen**
- **Student must be enrolled with at least a half-time academic or vocational or technical course load in an accredited high school, technical or vocational school, 2 or 4 year college or university, graduate or professional school.**
- **While employed student must continue to maintain acceptable school standing (GPA of at least 2.5). The student need not attend school during the summer.**
- **Employment may be part-time or full-time based on what the supervisor is requesting for a particular position. The only limitation is that the student's workload may not interfere with the student's academic schedule.**



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Student Career Experience Program

- **BENEFITS**

- **Earn leave and holiday benefits**
- **Eligible for retirement and insurance benefits**
- **Eligible for tuition assistance**

S.C.E.P

Student Career Experience Program

- **WORK SCHEDULE:**
- **Part-time work and concurrent school attendance**
- **Full-time work, which may include only summers**
- **A combination of part and full-time work**
- **“Breaks in program” are permitted**

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- Visit the BLM Employment website, U.S. Forest Service Employment website or USA Jobs to find SCEP positions available.







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FEDERAL WILDLAND FIREFIGHTING JOBS

A photograph of a large wildfire burning in a forest of tall evergreen trees. The fire is intense, with bright orange and yellow flames rising from the ground and consuming the lower parts of the trees. Thick black smoke billows from the fire, partially obscuring the sky. In the bottom right corner, a firefighter wearing a yellow helmet and carrying a backpack is visible, standing on a path or clearing. The overall scene is dramatic and highlights the scale of wildland fires.

*Come find out about wildland firefighting
and how and when to apply!*